



Told of the Notables.

M. and Mme. Wilenkin of the Russian embassy have just received some snapshots of their young son, Clarence, taken in the uniform of the regiment in which he has his commission. The pictures are taken to show conspicuously the chevrons on his sleeve, denoting his rank of first sergeant.

For some months he has been at the camp at Cambridge, England, and when the military fever struck him his parents tried to persuade him that the home guard was the place for him, but he insisted that only crimples and otherwise disabled soldiers were in England, and he wanted to go "where the big guns are." Fearing that he would simply enlist, and, as Mme. Wilenkin expressed it, "join the Tommies," they cabled that he might take a commission in the artillery. And so the handsome young eighteen-year-old lad is off to Portsmouth to learn all about "big guns."

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Bradley, who have just opened their mansion in Dupont Circle, after an absence of two winters, are giving a series of brilliant dinners through the season. Mrs. Bradley is also one of the ladies who will entertain for the members of the pan-American conference with Mrs. Lansing and a long list of official women. One cause of the huge expense of the dinners is the fact that Mrs. Bradley's Tuesday afternoon was the number of pretty girls who assisted. Many of this year's debutantes and of last year's were here to help. Miss Margaret Read not only took in all the tickets which had been printed and which had been sold all over the country, but managed at the same time to make a picture in French blue velvet, seated at the head of the great staircase, with Miss Burdette, also lovely in blue, assisting her, while Miss Margaret Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beale Howard, who waxes as enthusiastically over her charities, as a child with

her first doll or a debutante with her first dancing frock, was not only ornamental, but most useful, assisting Mme. Wilenkin, Mrs. Corcoran, Thom at the tea table by carrying cups of tea to all the old ladies, and many not so old, and gaining many pretty compliments thereby.

In spite of a raw wind many made their way to the marine barracks last Monday for Mrs. Barnett Resumes Days at Home.

The commandant was here, there and everywhere assisting in making the guests welcome, from receiving with Mrs. Barnett to dancing with the debutantes. The sprightliest of music kept up a continuous invitation to the dance, and Mrs. Dwyer, wife of Col. George Dwyer, U. S. M. C., dispensed homemade grape juice from Mrs. Barnett's country place in Virginia, and Miss Joan Ohi was behind a prettily appointed tea table, where Virginia beaten biscuit was one of the dainties offered. Mrs. Barnett was in a charming gown of brown satin, with tunic and bodice of brown tulle, with kinks of gold lace gleaming through the mesh of the tulle.

Small-Krueger.

The marriage of Miss Anna Dorothea Krueger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Louis Krueger of Charlotte, N. C., and Mr. Richard Henry Small of Washington took place last Monday evening at the home of the bride, Rev. John Fielding Crysler of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, in Charlotte, officiating. Mr. Small is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Small of Norfolk, Va.

After a wedding trip to Florida, and Cuba Mr. and Mrs. Small will reside in Washington.

Will Give a Reception Christmas Eve.

Brig. Gen. Daingerfield Parker, U. S. A., retired, has issued cards for a large reception at his residence in Chevy Chase, D. C., Friday, December 24, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

BRIDESMAID AT RECENT WEDDING.



MISS BARBARA HOGE.

Navy and Marine Corps Notes.

Mrs. J. L. Jayne, wife of Capt. Jayne, U. S. Navy, who during her husband's command of the New Jersey has been with her mother, Mrs. Eastman, at 1716 I street, will leave the city early in the new year to join Capt. Jayne at Newport, where his new duties will, from January 3, take him to the Naval War College. Their son, Ensign John L. Jayne, is a third classman at Annapolis.

Mrs. Thomas H. Stevens, widow of Rear Admiral Stevens, U. S. N., has taken an apartment for the season at Stoneleigh Court, James Lee Anderson street, Chevy Chase, Md.

Mrs. J. C. Lang, wife of Commander Lang, U. S. N., will remain in Washington for the season at the Marlborough during her husband's sea duty. Commander Lang was detached from the U. S. S. Wheeling and placed in command of the U. S. S. Utah.

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Naval Constructor Robert Stocker, U. S. N., and wife are among this season's pleasant additions to Washington society. They have leased an apartment at the Brighton.

Mrs. Charles E. R. Price, wife of Lieut. Price, United States Marine Corps, who has spent the last six months at the Annapolis range, Md., has returned to Washington, to the winter and, with her children, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, at 1221 Euclid street.

Paymaster C. J. Peoples, U. S. N., and wife have returned to their home, at 3717 Livingston street, Chevy Chase, Md., from an enjoyable week's trip, the greater portion of their six weeks' absence having been spent at the Panama exposition.

Lieut. Commander H. B. Soule, U. S. N., and wife are at the Westmoreland for the winter.

Mrs. Edward Johnson has returned to her home in Brunswick, Me., after a visit to her mother, widow of the late Admiral R. B. Bradford at her home, 1522 P street.

Civil Engineer E. H. Brownell, U. S. N., and Miss Brownell are at the Calver for the season. Prior to coming to Washington in the autumn, Civil Engineer Brownell was at the naval aeronautic station, Pensacola, Fla.

Mrs. Franklin D. Kams, wife of Commander Kams, U. S. N., is in command of the U. S. S. Prometheus to remain in California instead of returning to Washington, as was at one time contemplated. Mrs. Kams and her mother, Mrs. K. T. Seymour, widow of the late Commander Seymour, U. S. N., are at Vallejo, Cal., for the winter.

Lieut. Wilson Brown, U. S. N., and wife have leased 1722 Connecticut avenue for the winter.

Mrs. Alexander Kilgour of Boston, who made so many friends during her stay in Washington last season, has returned to the city and taken an apartment at the Torito.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Chapman have taken an apartment for the season at 1800 I street.

Engagements.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Levy of Baltimore, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Levy, and Mr. Joseph Blumenthal of this city.

The engagement is announced of Miss Caroline Crook Gresham, daughter of the late Col. Edwin James Gresham and Mrs. Gresham of Washington and Herndon, and Mr. David Stanley Cassin of San Antonio.

Miss Gresham made her debut about a year ago, at the home of her uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. Cassin, in San Antonio, where she has resided for the past ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Galey of East 3d street, Beaver, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Galey, and Mr. Elmer Seton Frazier of Washington, D. C. No date for the wedding has been announced. The bride-elect is well known in the Beaver valley and Pittsburgh society.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen Evans of West Falls Church, Va., announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosalyn and Dr. Joseph Wesley Buchanan of Ancon, Canal Zone. The wedding will take place in February.

Mr. O. P. Allen announces the engagement of his daughter, Eleanor K., and Mr. Earle W. Edgerton of this city. The wedding will take place the late part of December.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Griffiths of 1723 Church street northwest announce the engagement of their daughter, Bertha Louise, to Mr. Arthur C. Laiby of Covington, Ky.

Army Notes.

Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, is spending the winter at the Rochambeau, where he will welcome early in January his son, Lieut. Sherman Miles, U. S. A., who, accompanied by his wife, has been in Petrograd, Russia, as United States military attaché. At the outbreak of the European war he was military attaché at Constantinople. Lieut. and Mrs. Miles will make a short visit here before rejoining the former's regiment. This will be welcome news to their many friends, as Mrs. Sherman Miles is a Washington woman, the granddaughter of the late Senator Vicks of Florida and of the late Beiden Noble of this city.

Maj. Wilson Chase, U. S. A., now on duty at the Army War College, with Mrs. Chase and their son and daughter, is comfortably settled for the winter at 1414 21st street.

Mrs. Francis O. Wyse, widow of Col. Wyse, U. S. A., is at the Wyoming for the season with her son-in-law and daughter, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Benson.

Gen. E. A. Garlington, U. S. A., and wife, who left some time since for a western tour of inspection, are now in San Francisco.

Maj. Gen. Adolphus W. Greely and Mrs. Greely have their daughter, Mrs. Adams, visiting them, with her young son, at their home, 1914 G street.

Brig. Gen. Erasmus M. Weaver, U. S. A., and wife have returned to the Faragut after a visit to the Marion Institute, Alabama, where the late Gen. Weaver, for his new post, in daughter-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. Walter R. Weaver.

Lieut. Col. Benjamin A. Poore, U. S. A., who has been on duty at the Army War College, this city, will leave January 19, accompanied by the Misses Poore, for his new post, in daughter-in-law, Lieut. and Mrs. Walter R. Weaver.

Maj. Robert E. Lee Michie, U. S. A., and wife are at 1725 H street, where they are spending the week by their daughter, Miss Margaret Michie, who has been visiting in New York.

Maj. Gen. William H. Carter, U. S. A., retired, has returned with his wife from Hawaii, where, up to the time of his recent retirement, he was in command of the Hawaiian military department. They will spend the winter in their former home on Bancroft place, where they will have with them their daughter-in-law, the wife of Capt. William G. Carter, U. S. A.

Brig. Gen. Alfred Mordecai, U. S. A., retired, and Mrs. Mordecai have an apartment for the season at the Westmoreland.

Mrs. Daniel A. Frederick, wife of Col. Frederick, U. S. A., now stationed in Chicago, is in Washington visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert R. Cook, at the Westminister.

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Hostess at a Large Reception.

A reception was given Friday evening by Mrs. Kate Wagner Adams, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Adams, in the hall of the Takoma Presbyterian Church.

The hall was artistically decorated with palms, ferns and flowers, giving a canopy and trellis effect. From the center of the canopy, where a cluster of wedding bells was suspended, radiated garlands of life-everlasting twined with ferns and ivy; festoons of pink and white completed the ceiling effect. A latticed trellis of flowers and ferns formed a background for the receiving party.

Those in the receiving line with Mrs. Adams were Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Adams, Mrs. Frank L. Wagner and Miss Wagner, sister and niece of the hostess.

Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Orton, Mr. E. V. Crittenden, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. King, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. James McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. John Hite, Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagner, Miss Esther Wagner, Mr. Frances Wagner, the Misses Duffin, Nettie A. Whitmer, Cora A. Whitmer, Helen Lillian Stuart, Nell Anna Bitzer, Mrs. Ben G. Davis, Miss Dorothy Davis, Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Adams, Dr. Harold A. Mooers, Miss

Margaret Burdett, Miss Gene Burdett, Dr. C. O. Townsend, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Q. Knight and Dr. and Mrs. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Adams were married November 23 at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Hadley, in Ogden, Utah. On the way east they spent five days at the home of Mr. Adams' sister, Mrs. C. M. Parrish, in Grand Rapids, Mich. After January 1 Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be at home at North Tacoma, D. C.

Sons of Confederate Veterans' Subscription Dance.

Many of the debutantes of the season will take part in the Sons of Confederate Veterans' subscription dance to be held in the ballroom of the Raleigh Monday evening, January 17. The program is being arranged by Miss Jane Gregory, sponsor; Miss Grace Overman, maid of honor, and Miss Dorothy Dennett, chairman of the young ladies' committee.

Mr. E. A. Brand is chairman of the floor committee and Dr. William B. Hicks is vice chairman. The arrangements are in charge of the executive committee of Washington Camp.

Not at Home Today.

Mrs. Hugh L. Scott will not be at home today or the following Sunday in December.

To Hold Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Chitt, the latter formerly Miss Helen MacLeod, will be home informally at their new residence, the Copley, 1461 Girard street, Saturday evening, December 18, from 8 to 9:30.

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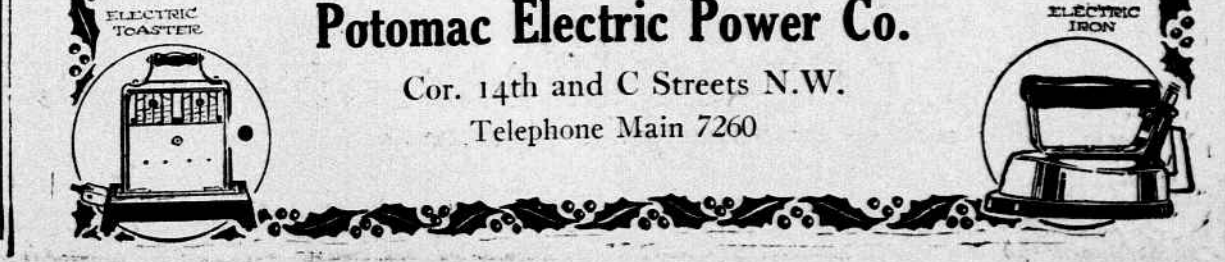
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